REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable consideration of this application, in light of the present amendments and following discussion, is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-19 are pending. By the Amendment Claim 3 is amended to correct an informality and claims 20-31 are canceled.

Applicants appreciate the Office Action's indication that claims 1-19 are allowed.

Consequently, in view of the present Amendment no further issues are believed to be outstanding in this application. A Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner deem that any further action is necessary to place this application in even better form for allowance, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the Applicants undersigned representative at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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